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ABSTRACT

This index of workplace and adult basic skills computer software includes 108 listings. Each listing is described according to the following classifications: (1) teacher/tutor tools (customizable or mini-authoring systems); (2) assessment and skills; (3) content; (4) instruction method; (5) system requirements; and (6) name, address, and phone number of publisher/distributor. A list of the 37 publishers/distributors is included. There are eight assessment and skill categories: (1) math; (2) reading, decoding, and structural analysis; (3) reading and comprehension; (4) writing and grammar; (5) writing and composing; (6) vocabulary, spelling, and meaning; (7) problem solving; and (8) complete basic skills program. Content areas include general basic skills content, workplace basic skills, job-domain related, job search and career, and English as a Second Language. Instruction methods include drill and practice, tutorial, simulation, and games and puzzles. System requirements include Apple, IBM, Tandy, Commodore, TRS-80, and Macintosh. (NLA)

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ABS										●	●						●			●	●	●				21
Adult Education - Math			●								●									●	●					4
Adult Education - Reading					●						●									●	●					4
Agricultural Math Tutor			●									●					●			●						1
All About Your Body								●					●							●						15
Angling for Words in Bits & Bytes				△							●					●				●						2
Base										●	□									●	●					12
Basic First Aid and Illness													●				●			●						3
Basic Language Units: Parts of Speech						●					●									●	●	●				8
Basic Grammar Units: Sentences						●					●									●	●	●				8
Basic Math Competency Skill Building			●								●						●			●	●					11

△ Teacher required

□ Basic Skills keyed to jobs, but content generic

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Basic Skills in Math			●								●									●						5
Bones and Muscles: A Team to Depend On													●							●						30 22
Career Arithmetic			●									●								●				●		4
Computational Skills Program			●								●					●	●			●						17
Cooking & Baking Series			●		●							●								●	●					3
Create Lessons	●																			●	●					16
Create Lessons - Advanced	●																			●						16
Create - Medalists	●										●									●	●					16
Crossword Magic	●							●												●	●		●			30
Diascriptive Language Arts Development						●					●						●			●	●	●		●		11
Diascriptive I, II, III Reading					●			●			●									●	●	●	●	●		11

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EA Core Vocabulary Worksheet Generator	●							●			●								●	●						11
ESL Writer	●						●								●					●	●	●				30
Exploring Career Options					●							●		●						●						29
E-Z Pilot II Authoring System		●																		●						16
Food For Thought													●						●	●	●					34 29 22
Foreign Language Vocabulary Games	●							●			●				●				●	●	●					29
Game Power for Phonics, Plus				●				●			●				●				●	●	●		●	●		33
Gapper Reading Lab	●				●			●			●									●						13 29
I Love America Series/U.S. Cities			●										●		●					●						20
Ideal Learning Curriculum										●	●									●						18
Improving Your Vocabulary Skills								●			●									●	●					29

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Individual Study Center	●	●														●										35
Interpreting Graphs			●						●				●					●	●	●						6
Introduction to the Business Office													●							●						13
Keyboard Cadet													●							●	●					5
Key Game	⊡							●			●					●				●			●	●		36
Language Arts: The Rules	●							●			●									●						27
LEA-1 Functional Lit. Using Whole Language					●		●								●					●	●	●		●		11
Learning to Write						●					●				●					●	●					13
Learning Ways to Read Words	■			●				●							●		●			●	●				●	13
Letter Man													●						●	●	●					5
Lucky 7 Spelling Games	●							●			●								●	●	●					13 29

■ Need extra management system

⊡ Need extra Utility disk

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Lucky 7 Vocabulary Games	●							●			●								●	●	●					13
Make - A - Flash	●							●												●						36
Math Facts			●								●					●	●			●						27
Medical Terminology: General Terms								●				●				●	●			●						13
Micro-Computer Simulations in Business													●							●	●	●		●		32
M_ss_ng L_nks	✳				●						●								●	✳	●	●	●	●		34
Nursing								●				●								●	●					3
Penn State Adult Lit. Courseware	▲							●			●					●			●	●						19
Prevocational Math Review			●									●				●	●			●	●					1
Print Your Own Bingo Plus	●																			●						16
Print Your Own Calendar	●																			●						16 30

✳ Only customize Apple software

▲ Module 3 & 6 only

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Project Star										●	●															16
Read - A - Logo								●			●				●					●						36
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Rov-A-Bot									●				●							●						11
Rules of the Road								●				●								●						4
Skills Bank II										●	●									●	●					31
Spelling for Careers in Business								●				●								●						3 14
Spelling for Careers in Medicine								●				●								●						3 14
Soft Text: English						●					●									●						8
Soft Text: Math			●								●					●				●						8
Soft Text: Word Study								●			●									●						8

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Square Pairs	●							●			●								●	●			●			30
States: Geography Study Unit													●							●						37
Success With Writing							●													●	●					30
Survival Reading Series					●						●									●	●					29
TAS		●																						●		35
Teacher Option Organizer		●																		●						23
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The Human Body													●							●	●	●				11
The Human Body - An Overview													●				●			●			●			30
The Human Pump													●							●						34

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The Respiratory System A Puff of Air													●							●						30 22
The Semantic Mapper		●						●							●					●				●		36
Tic Tac Spell	●							●			●								●	●						30
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Typing Keys to Computer Ease													●			●				●						2
Vocabulary Builder	●										●					●					●					13 24
Vocabulary Challenge	●							●			●									●						30
Vocabulary For the World of Work								●				●			●		●			●	●				●	13 29
Vocabulary for the World of Work II								●				●			●		●			●	●				●	13 29
Vocational Construction Trade			●									●								●	●					3
Vocational Cosmetology					●							●								●	●					3

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Vocational Math for Automotive Technicians			●									●				●				●	●					1
Vocational Math for Carpenters			●									●				●				●	●					1
Vo. Math for Construction Materials& Costs			●									●				●				●	●					1
Vocational Math for Welders			●									●				●				●	●					1
Vocational Mechanics			●		●							●								●	●					3
Vocational Metal Trades			●									●								●	●					3
Vocational Welding					●							●								●	●					3
Vocational Survival Words - Carpentry Cluster					●			●				●								●	●					3
Vocational Survival Words - Food Service Cluster					●			●				●								●	●					3
Vocational Survival Words - Mechanics Cluster					●			●				●								●	●					3
What do you do with a broken calculator?			●						●		●										●	●				34

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Word Attack Plus!	●							●			●					●			●	●	●		●			9
Wordfind	●							●											●	●						11
Word Machine	●							●			●								●	●						25
WordMatch	●							●			●					●				●						29
Word Parts - Education				●							●									●						3 14
Wordplay	●							●			●									●						16
Wordsearch	●							●											●	●						16 30
Workplace Literacy System										●		●								●						7
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